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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****Applicant(s):** James L. Paradies**Examiner:** Anh T. Nguyen**Serial No:** 09/756,996**Art Unit:** 2174**Filed:** January 8, 2001**Docket:** FIS920000097US1 (13882)**For:** SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
GENERATING AN MNP  
FLOWCHART (MULTI-NODAL-PROGRESSION)**Dated:** June 25, 2004**Confirmation No:** 6888**OFFICIAL****AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action dated March 25, 2004, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendment to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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